



GSHH Outdoor Game Challenge! Nice weather means getting outside for some fun. Parks might be closed and spring sports teams are on hold but you can make lots of fun outdoor games with items in your house! Try some of the games below or make your own. Try to do a different game each day for a week and earn a fun-patch. To order email ghanley@gaitscoutshh.org, \$4.25 each

Obstacle Course

Make an outdoor obstacle course! Draw and write instructions to follow for your course. No chalk, no problem - see what other items you can find to make an obstacle course. Jump over sticks, boxes, run around a leaves you scatter - just make it challenging! Time yourself and your family members!



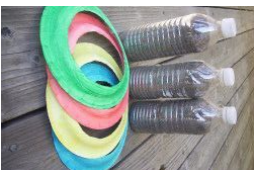
Tic-Tac-Toe

Grab some chalk and **make a tic-tac-toe** board. Find bean bags or any items you can find that you can toss. Stand a few feet back from your "game board" and toss - try to get three in a row! Or, paint x's and o's on rocks to make your own tic-tac-toe game!



Ring Toss

Make your own ring toss. Use water bottles filled with water or sand. Cut a the center out of a paper plate. Place your bottles a few feet away, how many times can you get the ring on the bottle?



Bean Bag Toss

Thursday - Make your own Bean Bag Toss - no bean bags? No problem! Use paper plates, sheets of paper or cut some cardboard squares. Assign points to each plate or square - 10, 20, 30, 40, 50. Use rolled up socks, balls of tin foil, blocks or any other small item you can toss outdoors. Line up and toss! How many points can you ^{score?}



Go Bowling!

For this activity, you will need 10 empty plastic bottles and a ball. If you have some paint, you can decorate and number the bottles! Set the pins up like a triangle and try to knock them all down!



Make Your Own Bubbles!

Try to make your own bubbles - to make a wand use a pipe cleaner and shape into a circle, triangle or other shape, just leave a few inches for a handle.

1. Get a large cup.
2. Pour 1/2 cup of dish soap into the cup.
3. Add 1 1/2 cups of water.
4. Measure 2 teaspoons of sugar and add it to the water/soap mixture.
5. Gently stir your mixture.
6. Go outside and blow bubbles!



Can you think of more games? Try hopscotch, jump-rope, hula hoop, bucket toss even paper airplane races - just have fun!

List the games you tried on this sheet!